

To: The Archbishop, the Mayor, Aldermen
Councillors of the Borough of Hedon.

Gentlemen,

The area of the Borough remains unchanged at 455 acres and the estimated population as at the middle of 1944, 1579 compared with 1824 in 1938 and 1619 in 1943.

The number of inhabited houses at the end of 1944 was 546 and the total rateable value being £7,266 as compared with £7,244 in 1938.

The product of a penny rate was £27. 9. 3 as against £27. 7. 5 in 1938.

The social conditions and chief industries remain as heretofore and the amount of unemployment little changed and in no way influencing health.

The water supply was satisfactory - drainage and sewerage unchanged.

Far too many houses are still without water carriage systems and in many cases the night soil has to be carried through the living rooms of the houses - there being no access to the rear of these houses.

In my opinion a complete survey by an expert of Hedon's drainage and disposal of sewage is long overdue.

There were 35 deaths of which 16 were male and 16 female - 9 residents died outside the Borough. This total gives a mortality rate of 20.2 per 1,000 population as against 11.6 per 1,000 for the rest of England and Wales.

In 1943 17 males and 10 females died with a mortality rate of 10.5 per 1,000 population.

In 1938 2 males and 17 females died with a mortality rate of 14.8 per 1,000 population.

Cancer accounted for 4 deaths in 1944 as against 5 in 1943 and 4 in 1938.

Inter cerebral vascular disease accounted for 5 deaths.

Heart diseases accounted for 10 deaths.

Influenza accounted for 2 deaths - both of the German-Russian type - one a woman followed by a child - one baby - both died in hospital.

There was one male suicide.

Two infants died under the age of one year compared with 3 in 1943 and 1 in 1938.

There were 35 births giving a birth rate of 22 -

20.2 per 1,000 civilian population compared with
17.6 for 11 English towns
21.4 in 1943 (31 births)
19.27 in 1938 (15 births)



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On the birth 15 per cent and 10 per cent. There were 8 stillborn
in 1938. All stillborns were under 10 months old. The rate of 15
per cent was 4.5 in 1938.

There were no still births.

There were no still births. The only still birth was a stillborn child
attributable to child-bearing. Nurse Jones, the resident County midwife,
renders valuable service to the Borough and the surrounding district in
ensuring an efficient and smooth running County midwifery scheme. The Borough
is very fortunate in having the services of an efficient and conscientious
midwife.

The County midwifery scheme works well on the whole - the only
drawback being the distance a patient in labour has to travel should her
confinement require hospital treatment. The hospitals available are Fawcley
Driffild and Bridlington yet the Hull Corporation Maternity Home on W. dock
road is a mere 3 miles distant.

During the year the following infectious diseases were notified :-

Pneumonia (Lobar)	4
Dysentery	3
Scarlet Fever	1
Measles	1
Pulmonary Tb	2

During the year 14 children under 5 years of age and 2 over 5 years
were immunised against diphtheria. It is estimated that 42 children under
5 years of age and 151 over 5 years of age had been immunised at the end of
the year 1944.

It is estimated that 17 of the pre-school age children had been
immunised and 50 of the school children.

There was no case of diphtheria notified during the year.

Children of pre-school age are immunised either by the parent's family
doctor or at the Infant Welfare Centre but the number of parents taking
advantage of these facilities is far too low.

Signed: H. Marshall M.D.,

Medical Officer of Health.

